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Attachment 5

Inspector General's Recommendation, Page 42 (Annex)

Recommended DCI Action: a. Approve  
b. Approve as modified

Inspector General's Statement

a. The DD/P direct the DD/P Records Officer to conduct a study and establish a simplified and accelerated disposal program.

b. The DD/P direct that reasonable calculated risks can be taken in the destruction of worthless documentation, and that no additional personnel will be utilized in the processing of worthless material.

DD/P Comment

a. Concur: The problem of obsolete records is receiving priority attention and simplified procedures for disposal of unofficial files are under consideration. [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] dated 12 May 1959, has established a disposal program for official RID files which has already saturated the processing cycle. It is anticipated that an accelerated program for disposal of both official and unofficial file holdings in the CS will result from discussions now being carried out with the Office of General Counsel.

b. Concur with modification: Discussions are at present underway with the Office of the General Counsel in an attempt to determine whether a more liberal disposal program may be undertaken and the extent to which this may be legally done.

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